

Page 2, line 30 change "to be applied to the action" to --of the action to apply--;

Page 3, line 9 change "the FAPs" to --they--;

Page 3, line 17 delete "and thence to synthesizer 120";

Page 3, line 18 between "110" and "can" insert --is conventional. It --;

Page 3, line 21 delete "and synthesizer 120 synthesizes it";

Page 5, line 14 before "By" insert --However, this delay can be measured and compensated in the terminal.--;

Page 5, line 15 delete "As indicated above, "

Page 5 line 22 replace "is usually not very good" with --cannot be achieved--;

Page 7 line 1 replace "two seconds" with --a second--;

Page 7 line 6 before "Thus" insert --Furthermore, for real-time systems it is advantageous if the current shape of the face can be processed from information available up to this moment and does not depend on information available in the future or after significant delay. This requirement prevents us from using splines where knowledge of future points is necessary in order to guarantee smooth transitions.--

Page 7, line 22 replace " since" with --. Since--;

Page 7, line 28 between "rendering" and the period, insert --for some facial motions--;

Page 8, line 1 following "(4)" insert --order--;

Page 9, line 12 before "Any" insert --It also possible to define triangle functions in order to easily describe motions like an eye blink.--;

Page 12, line 6 change "units or birectional" to --uni- or bi-directional--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Amended) A system comprising:  
a decoder responsive to an input signal comprising text and FAP information, that separates the FAP information [form] from the text, and develops phonemes from said text,